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District Board To Seek Aid For Hospital

Request for state and federal funds to erect a hospital in Washington Township and findings showing a need for a hospital here will be drafted Wednesday night by the Washington Township Hospital District Board of Directors. The meeting, which is open to the public, will be held at Washington High School starting at 8 o'clock.

Amount of funds to be asked will be set at the meeting, one of the most important sessions thus far held by the board. In addition information will be gathered concerning local hospital needs and a program will be drafted for providing needed facilities.

The request for the funds will be made February 28 at a meeting of the State Advisory Hospital Council in San Francisco, at which time similar applications from hospital districts throughout the state will be heard and reviewed.

In addition, the council will allocate undistributed funds to various hospital districts.

The local application will be the first formal request for a grant presented by the township district. Last year, shortly after the district was formed at a spring election, a priority rating for eligibility for the state and federal funds was granted, paving the way for the present request.

GOOD NEWS

The district received further good news this week, when a legal interpretation was made by Fred Wood, legal counsel of the California State Legislature, to the effect that community hospital districts will not be required to aid in the care of indigents under provisions of Proposition 4, passed in November balloting.

Hospital districts had been worried about a clause of the proposition, which calls for increased state aid to the aged, needy, and blind, would bind local hospital districts to caring for indigents free of charge.

Wood's interpretation, sought by State Senator Jesse Mayo of Angels Camp, was to the effect that the burden rested solely on county hospitals.

NEW BILL

Further good news came from the announcement that State Assemblyman Francis Dunn Jr. has introduced a bill into the state legislature changing a provision of the state code governing hospital districts to allow the districts to retain necessary help.

Heretofore hospital districts have not been empowered to employ help needed to conduct hospital matters.

The bill was introduced at the request of the local district.

LOCAL CHAIRMAN

John Cattaneo of Niles has been appointed local chairman for a building fund appeal being made by the Sisters of the Good Shepherd Home in San Francisco.

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SPROUL HEADLINES CAL ALUMNI EVENT SUNDAY MORNING

A total of 176 persons were in attendance Sunday morning at a University of California Alumni breakfast meeting at the International Kitchen, which was highlighted by an address by University President Robert Gordon Sproul.

Roland Bendel was toastmaster for the affair, and introduced President Sproul. Other speakers at the meeting included Dr. W. M. Stanley, director of the Virus Laboratory at U.C.; Peter H. Odegard, new chairman of the political science department; Robert Sibley, retiring Alumni Association secretary; and Stanley McCaffrey, who will assume Sibley's position.

Decorations for the affair were arranged by Mrs. L. E. Bailey, and reservations were under direction of Vernon Ellsworth.

Donald Graham was general chairman of the event.

Sproul's address, main event of the meeting, was a discussion of the University, its complection, administrative problems, accomplishments, and prospects for the future.

He stressed complex organization of the University, which comprises 12 colleges on five campuses and 11 schools on four campuses, as well as laboratories, institutes, and other divisions. He stated the total number of students attending the university (more than 44,000) will probably never be reduced, although the Berkeley campus will be cut down from 23,000 students to 20,000.

Ratio between number of professors and students will be kept at the present 1-25 average, he stated, revealing that Cal's average is well in line with other universities. Stanford has a ratio of one professor to every 20 students.

He also explained the University's current $110 million building program, and addition of the Santa Barbara campus to the U.C. "chain."

Odegard stressed growing importance of government in present day life and dwelt on current international problems.

Progress of virus research in conquering concer, poliomyelitis and other human diseases was the topic discussed by Dr. Stanley.

GARCIA TO HEAD DECOTO CHAMBER

President Kenneth Garcia of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce was elected to another term at the regular monthly meeting of the organization Tuesday evening at the Decoto Fire House. B. R. Joseph was re-elected secretary and Peter Decoto was re-elected treasurer.

New vice-president is G. Paniagua. Directors are: Frank Borghi Jr., Manuel Hidalgo and Manuel Seaone.

A request that the county road department keep the streets of Decoto cleaner was voted.

P. J. Faletti stated that work promised last year by the county in road improvement has not yet been done.

Dues for business establishments were increased to $5 per year, and President Garcia and Director Hidalgo were delegated to make a thorough campaign to solicit business memberships.

CENTERVILLE C. C. SEES BLUEPRINTS

Blueprints of a survey financed by the Centerville Chamber of Commerce for the extension of Stevens Street across the Southern Pacific right-of-way as far as Central Avenue were shown at Wednesday's regular meeting of the group.

With the first step completed, the committee working on the extension, headed by Manuel Lewis, will proceed with plans toward the improvement.

Appointed by President Allan Walton to serve with Joe Shepherd on a membership committee were Loren Marriott and Louis Cardoza.

CHILD'S PLAYHOUSE BURNS

A spark from a trash fire burning in an incinerator was the cause of demolishing a child's playhouse last Friday at the Elmer Peixotte home in Decoto.

SUPPORT GROWS FOR BRIDGE PURCHASE

Endorsement of a proposal now before the California State Legislature which would result in the purchase by the state of the Dumbarton and San Mateo toll bridge was voted this week by three more township Chambers of Commerce. Last week the Centerville Chamber was first to give the proposition its approval.

At their Tuesday noon luncheons, both the Niles and Irvington Chambers voted endorsement, and Tuesday evening the Decoto Chamber added its support to the move.

Secretary Ralph Goodwin of the Centerville Chamber on Wednesday announced that he had received a letter from Assemblyman Francis Dunn Jr. in which the assemblyman assured his support of the proposition, which originated with Assemblyman Richard J. Dolwig of San Mateo County.

Locally, state purchase of the bridges, with anticipated roadway improvement and toll reduction, is regarded as a means of stimulating better traffic between southern Alameda County communities and the San Francisco peninsula, with consequent business improvement.

$100 NETTED IN NEWARK STICKUP

A gunman who robbed the M & M Club in Newark at gunpoint last Saturday evening, in view of fifteen patrons, today is the object of a search by police authorities.

Victim of the holdup was Joseph F. Milani, 32, Robertson Avenue, Newark, operator of the club. He reported loss of approximately $100 in the robbery, staged at 8:47 Saturday evening.

He told police a man wearing a white mask and pointing a pistol advanced about four steps into the room and said, "Give me the money out of the register." Milani then took the paper money out of the till and handed it to the gunman.

The bandit, apparently nervous, dropped the money on the floor, then turned to Anthony T. Williams, 23, Central Avenue, Centerville, jammed the gun into Williams' ribs, and ordered him to "pick up that money!"

After Williams had retrieved the currency the gunman immediately fled, apparently leaving in a waiting automobile.

None of the other patrons were accosted.

SUGAR BEET MARKET OUTLOOK BRIGHT

Prospect for the sugar beet industry are bright if beet growers will plant full acreages, Robert H. Shield, president of the United States Beet Sugar Association told members of the California Beet Growers Association at their annual convention held in San Francisco last week.

The industry's most pressing problem, he said, is to bring production up to the 1,800,000 tons of beet sugar allowed under the 1948 Sugar Act. Factors contributing to the brightened outlook cited by Shield, were that prospective returns for sugar beets have increased while prices of other farm products have dropped; growers have a self financing price supporting program; and the industry is pursuing a comprehensive attack on marketing problems.

Shields declared that the creation of new markets was essential and a new merchandising campaign is being considered by processors.

LIONS TO HONOR SCOUT LEADERS

Centerville Lions Club will honor cub and scout leaders of Washington Township at a dinner at the International Kitchen next Tuesday evening at 6:45. The fete will observe the 39th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America.

A movie of the 1948 World Series ball game between the Cleveland Indians and Boston Braves will be shown, according to Tom Maloney, principal of the Centerville Elementary School and a past president of the Lions Club. Maloney is general chairman for the event.

ARMY, AAF ACTIVE RESERVE UNIT MAY BE FORMED HERE

Formation of an active U. S. Army Reserve Organization in Washington Township is a distinct possibility, provided that enough local veterans are interested in joining the group. This was revealed yesterday by Captain Harry Houston of Newark.

Houston, member of a reserve unit in San Francisco, stated that officials of the Sixth Army have given the go-ahead to formation of a local reserve outfit, if enough members can be obtained to comprise a company. At present, nearest reserve is in Oakland.

He added that many township veterans have inquired as to possibilities of establishing such a unit, and asked any interested persons to contact him by phone (Newark 2801) or by mail, giving him his name, rank, branch of service, and army serial number.

The unit would be open to all former officers and enlisted men in the Army and Air Corps. It would operate under the Sixth Army, and would hold from 12 to 24 meetings per year. Enlisted men would receive a day's army pay for each meeting attended.

Houston pointed out that advantages to be gained by veterans joining active reserves include retention of rank, and opportunities for promotion, as well as eligibility for army retirement pension.

Either a company or battalion could be formed here, depending upon the number of men joining the reserves. A minimum of five officers and 35 enlisted men would be required to form a company.

If the group were to be formed, all meetings would be held in the township, Houston stated, adding that distances between here and presently established units prohibit many men from joining the reserve.

BOY SCOUT SUNDAY AT NILES CHURCH

"Three Boys with Ambition" will be the subject of the sermon to be delivered Sunday by the Rev. Donald Kirkbride at the Niles Congregational Church, in observance of Scout Sunday.

Boy Scouts will be in attendance at the service with their leaders Fred Duffie and Tom Robbins, and Scouts will also usher for this special service.

The regular communion service has been postponed because of Scout Sunday.

In every part of the nation more than 2,200,000 boys and their adult leaders, will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6th to 12th, marking the 39th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. The theme of the celebration is "Adventure—that's Scouting!" This year the movement is emphasizing the fun and fellowship its members get out of the game of Scouting. More high adventure is planned in the out-of-doors. Their adventure in citizenship will find Scouts emphasizing civic service activities, emergency service training and world Scouting relationships. During Boy Scout Week, Scouts, their parents and countless communities will honor the volunteer adult leaders of the nation's 70,000 Cub Packs, Scout Troops and Senior Units. Above is the official poster marking the Scout birthday.

County Drainage District Plan Gets Cautious Support Here

Endorsement in principle of the formation of a county-wide drainage and water conservation district was voted Wednesday evening at a meeting at the International Kitchen at Niles attended by approximately 75 persons.

The meeting was arranged by W. D. Patterson, president of the Alameda County Water District. Representatives of farming interests, the local water district, the county government, the state legislature, and others were present.

Subject of discussion was Assembly Bill 1431, now before the state legislature, which would create a county-wide district for purposes of controlling flood waters, conservation of water and the possible securing of Central Valley water for the Alameda-Santa Clara County agricultural area. The bill was introduced into the legislature with support of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

State Senator H. C. Jones of Santa Clara County stated that, unless such a district is formed to secure for this area water from the Folsom Dam project, agriculture will be threatened with extinction. The proposed district could serve as an agency to deal with the state and federal governments to bring in irrigation water from other areas where there is a surplus.

Need for such a district from the standpoint of flood control in the county was pointed out by County Surveyor Wallace Boggs, who for several years has pioneered the effort to deal with drainage problems on a broad, county-wide basis.

"The interrelation of drainage areas," Boggs pointed out, "and the rapid physical development in all parts of the county, make advisable county-wide studies and correlated designs, rather than programs limited to specific drainage areas.

"The obtaining of state and federal aid in connection with phases of flood control involves the formation of a political subdivision with broad enough powers to perform all the necessary acts and to provide for the necessary financing in connection with the required operations."

President Patterson of the Alameda County Water District stated that the district which he heads is not large enough to develop the water resources needed for this agricultural area and suggested that a program such as that proposed in the legislation under discussion is needed.

However, numerous objections to the assembly bill as it is written were expressed.

Assemblyman Francis Dunn Jr. stated thae he could not support the bill in its present form. He objects principally to the power given the county board of supervisors to abritrarily set up zones for special taxes in consideration for special projects determined beneficial to such zones.

Comment from several other sources indicated this to be a sore point in the proposed legislation.

A "one-eyed joker" in the bill as proposed was also pointed out by Assemblyman Dunn, who objected to a rider in the proposed measure which would give the individual supervisors a $24 monthly salary increase.

Revisions of the bill will be made, according to Deputy District Attorney Douglas Dunning, in the light of objections voiced last night and any which may arise at future meetings.

John I. Hennessey, chairman of the Subcommittee on Water, of the Land Development Committee of Alameda County, was chairman of the meeting.

FAMED ENSEMBLE COMES WEDNESDAY TO THE TOWNSHIP

A memorable evening of music is in store for township music lovers who hold memberships in the Community Concert series, for the Bary ensemble will come to the high school auditorium next Wednesday evening, February 9, for the second in the series of concerts held locally.

The Bary ensemble, a group of charming and attractive young women who play under the direction of Gertrude Bary, founder and organizer of the Ensemble. Miss Bary received her musical education at the Conservatory of Leipzig. After extensive concertizing abroad, she came to this country and immediately became associated with chamber music groups of the highest calibre—among them the Stradivarius and Gordon Quartets. Radio appearances over WJZ and WQXR and a New York Town Hall recital are among her achievements as a solo artist.

The Ensemble, five in number, has been warmly received from coast to coast on annual concert tours. The artists are not only experienced in concert work, but each is an outstanding soloist in her own right.

Following Wednesday night's performance here, there will be a reception for the Eensemble which will be attended by the officers of the local Community Concerts and by those who have volunteered to be workers for the forthcoming Community Concert membership drive.

HUSKIES, PUPPIES DROP TWO GAMES

Washington Huskie and Puppie hoop quintets dropped a doubleheader to visiting San Jose High School reserve squads yesterday, in the local high school gym.

The Huskies lost 23-33, while the Puppies went down 24-34.

High point man for the Pups was Al Castillo, who sank 9 points. Joe Sankene and Bill Ramsey led the varsity, with 7 and 6 points respectively.

ROTARIANS HEAR TALK ON RACKETS

Niles Rotarians yesterday heard Jack a Harris, general manager of the Better Business Bureau of Oakland, speak on "Fashions in Fraud," to highlight the club's regular weekly luncheon.

Harris spoke on some of the ways currently in favor for making a living outside the law, and explained the work of the bureau to safeguard business.

Walter Sletten was chairman of the day.

ROWAN HENRY IS IRVINGTON C. OF C. PRESIDENT-ELECT

Headed by President-elect Rowan Henry, newly elected officers of the Irvington Chamber of Commerce will be installed February 15, at a night dinner meeting.

Henry and a full new slate of club heads were elected Tuesday noon, at a regular club luncheon meeting held at Vilela's Play Haven in Irvington. Other officers to be seated are: Allan R. Hirsch, vice-president; Frank Mayer, secretary; Clifford Rogers, treasurer; and Carl Christensen, Harold J. Speetzen, Lee S. Williams and Wayne H. Day, directors.

Henry, who was vice-president last year, will replace Vernon Leal. Rogers will replace Mayer as treasurer. Former directors were Rogers. Hirsch, Olan Kunz, Manuel Guardanapo, V. M. Cramer, Leal, Henry and Mayer.

Club officers serve on the board of directors.

Plans for the installation meeting as yet are tentative, and a full report on final preparations will be completed at next Tuesday's club luncheon.

Chamber members heard a report from Allan Hirsch that Roberts Avenue will be completely surfaced, and a letter from the Southern Pacific stating that an investigation of railroad crossing conditions in Irvington is forthcoming.

Endorsement of a proposal for state purchase of the Dumbarton and San Mateo Bridges was voted.

NILES CHAMBER HAS NOMINATIONS

Nomination of officers for the Niles Chamber of Commerce was made at Tuesday's regular luncheon meeting, when John Brahmst, present head of the organization, was renominated for another term as president.

Other nominees are: vice-president, E. A. Quaresma; secretary, Vernon Ellsworth; treasurer, Robert Blacow. Nominations for the position on the board of directors are: Dr. T. C. Wilson, Kenneth Bruner, Virgil Young, Dr. E. C. Grau and L. R. Batman.

The chamber voted endorsement of the bill now in the state assembly which, if passed, would result in state purchase of Dumbarton and San Mateo bridges. Walter Sletten announced that he had donated a strand of Christmas lights to the chamber.

PUPILS TO DRAFT NEW CONSTITUTION

Students of Warm Springs Elementary School this week are studying parliamentary law in preparation for drafting a student body constitution. This will be the first time the school has undertaken such a project, according to Miss Isabel Moseley, principal.

MEASLES LEAD IN 'DISEASE DERBY'

Seventeen cases of measles were reported in unincorporated areas of Alameda County this week by Dr. James Malcolm, county health officer, in a weekly roundup of cases of communicable diseases.

In addition, Malcolm noted 11 cases of chickenpox, one case of German measles, six mumps victims, two cases each of pneumonia and scarlet fever, one case of whooping cough, three tuberculosis victims, and one case of rheumatic fever.

ALVARADO PUPILS ELECT NEW HEADS

Student body elections will be held at the Alvarado Elementary School today when students cast their ballots for candidates seeking positions on the school governing board.

Nominations for the various offices were made last Monday afternoon at an assembly held in the school auditorium. A white ballot was cast and George Cicarios was unanimously elected to the presidency, as was Rodney Hendricks who received all out approval for the district attorney post, Principal Lester Maffey declared.

Nominated for offices were the following: vice-president, Raul Villarreal, Antwine Rigmaiden, and Natalie Cicarios; secretary, Anne Wado, Natalie Cicarios and Angie Preciado; treasurer, Sadako Kurotori and Marlene Andrade; news reporter, Yoshio Kamiji, Marlene Andrade and Beverly Spurlock; sergeant-at-arms, Raul Villarreal, Julio Marieneo and Melvin Pimentel.

Athletic monitor, Masaharu Hisaoka, Frank Velarde and Frank Corrales; assistant district attorney, Andrew Pimentel, Conrad Preciado, Cornelio Contreras; court clerk, Henry Contreras, Rosa Barrera, and Gloria Apodaco; judge, Raul Villarreal, Frank Corrales and Natalie Cicarios.

Nominations were also made for class representatives and officers of the eighth grade class. Results of the election will be announced next week.

THE NILES ROTARY CLUB, a Washington Township service club now numbering 55 members, meets every Thursday noon at the International Kitchen. Founded in 1937, the Niles club is headed by President Warren Gravestock of Centerville. The club, which numbers among its members some of the township's leading business men and manufacturing executives, has had a distinguished career in community service. —Stinhilver Photo

NILES STUDENT ON RADIO SHOW

Thomas Patrick Keller, Niles grammar school student and winner of a recent essay contest sponsored by the Latham Foundation for the promotion of Humane Education, will appear on radio station KLX tomorrow morning, reading his prize-winning essay.

Keller will appear on a program beginning at 9:15 a.m.

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EVELYN PEIXOTO HONORED AT FETE

Mrs. Evelyn Peixoto was honored by the Irvington P.T.A. yesterday for her service to the community along the lines of child welfare when she was presented a life membership pin to highlight unit Founders' Day tea ceremonies.

Mrs. Lawrence Dutra made the presentation.

Mrs. Peixoto joins Gus C. Robertson, Mrs. R. A. Griffin, Miss Irma Bond, Mrs. George Scamman, Mrs. Lily Robinson, and Mrs. Maude Hiller, who have won similar pins in previous years. Presentation of the award is an annual event.

The meeting, which began with a brief business session, featured a program relating the history of the founding of the P.T.A., a candelighting ceremony, and the tea.

Mrs. Madeline Haynes, unit president, presided at the meeting.

TEACHER IS ILL

Mrs. Carmelita Berge Freitas, Irvington Elementary School instructor, was absent from class this week because of illness. Mrs. Stella Benbow was substitute teacher.

PROGRAM SLATED

Students of the Carol Jeanne dance classes will present a program to benefit the Centerville P. T.A., Friday, February 18, in the school auditorium at 8 p.m. Tickets are now on sale at the school. Admission will be 30 cents.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

February 2, 1949

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

Niles Canyon, 3 miles east of Niles.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance on original application of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

VIOLET PETIT

DAVID W. WRIGHT TO RECEIVE DEGREE

Next Sunday, David W. Wright will receive his Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Illinois commencement exercises, according to information from the eastern school. This will be the largest mid-winter graduating class in its history, they stated.

His mother, Mrs. Robert E. Wright, Niles, is in Urbana, Illinois, to attend the ceremonies and following his graduation they will return to the coast by automobile.

Wright has already accepted a position with the Douglas Aircraft Corporation in Santa Monica.

LEGAL NOTICE

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at Niles, Washington Township, Alameda County, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "M. C. N. MFG. CO."; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respectvie signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 31st day of January, 1949.

CLAUDE WALTER CHRYSLER
Residing at Canyon Heights, Niles, California.
RICHARD NICKLASSON
Residing at 740 Myrtle Street, Hayward, California.
ELMER P. MARKS
Residing at 11 Hennings Court, Hayward, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

ON THIS 31st day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared CLAUDE WALTER CHRYSLER, RICHARD NICKLASSON and ELMER P. MARKS, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) F4,11,18,25M4

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned are partners transacting business in the Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "CENTRAL STEEL COMPANY"; we are the only persons having an interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 28th day of January, 1949.

ALTON J. JOHNSON
Residing at Niles, California.
ROBERT ANDERSON
Residing at Niles, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

ON THIS 28th day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ALTON J. JOHNSON and ROBERT ANDERSON known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) F4,11,18,25M4

HOMEMADE 'BILLY' LEADS TO ARREST

Refugio P. Gonzales and Alejandro M. (Alex) Aranda, both of Alvarado, were held briefly by Alameda County sheriff's deputies last week-end, when a bicycle chain doubled up and taped to form a 14-inch billy club was discovered in their car during a routine search.

They had been stopped at a roadblock at Russell Road and Hesperian Boulevard in Russell City, near the scene of a gang fight Saturday night.

Six persons had been injured in the melee.

Say you saw it in The Register.

LEGAL NOTICE

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at Irvington, Washington Township, Alameda County, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "C & L LUMBER CO."; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 20th day of January, 1949.

ERNEST M. CUNHA
Residing at RFD Box 236, Niles, Calif.
MELVIN C. LEAL
Residing at Warm Springs, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Alameda, ss.

ON THIS 20th day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ERNEST M. CUNHA and MELVIN C. LEAL, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

J28,F4,11,18,25

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at Niles, Alameda County, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "BURNS BROS. CABINET SHOP"; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 20th day of January, 1949.

HAROLD L. BURNS
Residing at 331 Riverside St., Niles, California
SAMUEL L. BURNS
Residing at 1493 Highland Blvd., Hayward, California

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Alameda, ss.

ON THIS 20th day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared HAROLD L. BURNS and SAMUEL L. BURNS, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

J28,F4,11,18,25

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 106067 Dept. 4

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of FRANCES GOMES, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: February 3, 1949.

MANUEL PERRY ROSE
Administrator of the Estate of FRANCES GOMES, Deceased.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administrator
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California. F4,11,18,25

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS TRANSACTING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are transacting business in the State of California, having our principal place of business in the Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "NILES SUPER MARKET"; that we are the only persons having any interest in the said business and that our names in full and our places of residence are as follows:

FRANK DUARTE, JR., 980 2nd Street, Niles, California
GREGORY ESPINOSA, 381 Riverside Street, Niles, California

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 6th day of January, 1949.

FRANK DUARTE, JR.
GREGORY ESPINOSA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

ON THIS 6th day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared FRANK DUARTE, JR., and GREGORY ESPINOSA, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California. J7,14,21,28F4

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at Niles, Washington Township, Alameda County, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "EMBEE COMPANY"; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 6th day of January, 1949.

W. E. McELVAIN
Residing at Niles, California
GEORGE W. BONDE, Jr.
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Use Register Want Ads!

This is a diesel ...a modern locomotive that means better service to you.

Leaders of two unions think it's a feather-bed ...a "make work" grab that means less service to you.

● **Leaders of unions representing railroad engineers and firemen seek to force railroads to add extra, needless men on diesel locomotives. This is sheer waste —a "make-work" program which would mean fewer improvements and higher costs—for YOU!**

Railroads use modern diesel locomotives because they are one of the means of giving faster, better service to you.

Two men compose the crew of a diesel. They occupy a clean, comfortable cab at the front. The engineer handles the throttle. The fireman sits and watches the track ahead. With no coal to shovel, he has practically nothing else to do.

No Benefit To You

Now the leaders of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen want to use the diesel locomotive as a means of forcing a feather-bedding scheme on the railroads. The extra men they propose to add to the diesel crews are not needed. There is no work for them.

The union leaders are fighting among themselves about which union should furnish these extra, needless men. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have even threatened a strike. You may not be interested in this dispute of these two unions, but you would be vitally concerned if these groups succeed in putting through this feather-bedding scheme, because it would mean a slowing up of the improvement program of the railroads—of which the diesel is the outstanding symbol.

Diesel crews are among the highest paid railroad employes—real aristocrats of labor! Their pay is high by any standard. Granting of these demands, therefore, would mean that the railroads would be paying out millions in unearned wages to those in the very highest pay brackets.

We'd Like To Spend This Money On You

You know how much the diesel has meant to you in increased speed, comfort and convenience. The railroads have many more of them on order for even greater improvement in service to you. But needless drains of money, such as this present demand of the unions for needless men on diesels, reduce the ability of the railroads to spend money on better service for you.

Proud as the railroads are of the diesel, it is only a small part of their improvement program. Since the War, literally billions of dollars have been spent on improvement of tracks and stations, on new passenger and freight cars, as well as on diesel locomotives, and on the many other less conspicuous details of railroading that contribute to improved service.

Feather-Bedding Means Less Service To You

But brazen feather-bedding schemes like the one now proposed would, if successful, divert large sums of money from our present improvement programs. Even worse, they make improvements like the diesel worthless, by making the cost of their operation prohibitive.

These demands are against YOUR interests —as well as those of the railroads. They are schemes to "make work". Neither you nor the railroads should be forced to pay such a penalty for progress.

That's why the railroads are resisting these "make work" demands to the last ditch—and why they are telling you about them.

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We are publishing this and other advertisements to talk with you at first hand about matters which are important to everybody.

How The Register Serves Its Many Readers

That the Township Register will spare no means to serve its readers was demonstrated last Thursday when Publisher L. R. Batman chartered an airplane for a quick trip to St. Helena, Calif., to get some printing plates needed for last week's paper.

The plates were overdue in the mails on press day, and at 10 a.m. it looked like there would be no pictures in the paper. A phone call to Wally Ebright at Center Airport, another call to Everett Mendenhall, local flier—and arrangements were complete.

The plane took off at 11 o'clock, landed at Calistoga airport in about 25 minutes and, before another hour had passed, the plates were in The Register office.

The accompanying photograph of delivery of the plates at the airport in Calistoga was taken by the St. Helena Star, in whose plant are made the half-tone plates used for reproduction of photos in The Register.

Say you saw it In The Register.

SCENE IN CENTERVILLE

By IRENE MENDONCA

FROM BENICIA

Mr. Henry Brown of Benicia spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Joseph Street.

SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise party was held Saturday night at the Alvarado Hall in honor of Supreme President Fena Soares of Sacramento. All the S.P.R.S.I. Council members and their families were invited. Among the many Centerville people present were Mr. and Mrs. George Marks, Mrs. John Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pimentel, Mrs. Mariana Mendonca and many others. Chamaritas and modern dancing were the highlights of the evening. Cake and coffee were served and everyone had a good time. Mrs. Soares spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Mae Smith on Main Street.

AT THE ALABAM

The Musicians Union, Local No. 510, held their annual banquet and installation of officers at the Club Alabam Wednesday evening. Dancing and a floor show followed a delicious chicken dinner. Among the members and their guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Joseph Street, who were celebrating their anniversary. Also present was Miss Lorraine Brown and others.

AT THE ASSEMBLY

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Broun of Santos Road attended a "strictly formal" dinner dance, given by the "Assembly Club" in San Rafael. Mr. and Mrs. Broun are former members. They spent the night with friends and visited their many friends on Sunday.

POT-LUCK SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Broun and son of Santos Road attended a pot-luck supper given by the American Legion and Auxiliary in Niles. The evening was spent playing bingo.

FROM OAKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bragg of Oakland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan DeCosta of Parish Avenue on Monday evening. The evening was spent playing cards.

BASS FISHING

Bass fishing on Old River, near Byron, were Dan DeCosta and Alfred Nunes. Several catfish were caught. Better luck next time.

USHERS SOCIETY MEETS

A business meeting of the Ushers' Society of Holy Ghost Church, Centerville, was held on Thursday at the parish house. Richard Mendonca, Arthur Belshaw, Philip Sousa, Harry Weber, Anthony Duarte and Father O'Connor were present. The system of ushering was discussed and changed. It was decided that four new collection baskets be placed at the back of the church for the convenience of the ushers serving at the three masses.

RECUPERATING

Back home recuperating is Arthur Rose. He was injured on the job at the Graham Manufacturing Company and spent ten days in the San Jose Hospital. Artie says the service was very nice at the hospital. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

VISITING

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bettencourt of Parish Avenue spent two days visiting friends in Oakland.

QUARTERLY COMMUNION

The Holy Name Society held its quarterly communion at the Holy Ghost Church in Centerville, Sunday, Jan. 30, at the 8 o'clock mass.

FROM SAN MATEO

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel DeCosta of San Mateo were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sousa of Oak Street.

CAPPING CEREMONY

The St. Joseph Nursing School in San Francisco held a very impressive capping ceremony which was held in the chapel. Among those who were capped is Mary Senn, a Washington High School graduate.

OUT OF THE HOSPITAL

Mr. Jack Oliver of Emerson Street is at home recuperating after spending some time in the San Jose Hospital. He is getting along fine and we wish him well.

HOME AGAIN

Mr. Joe Brazil of Emerson Street came home from the San Jose Hospital last week and is getting along very nicely.

TRIO OF BOYS

Little Glen Belshaw arrived at the San Jose Hospital Tuesday at 11:45 a.m., weighing in at 8 pounds, 7 ounces. The proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belshaw. Little Glen has two older brothers. Congratulations.

PASSED THEIR EXAMS

Mr. James George and Mr. Richard Mendonca of the Centerville post office had larger smiles than usual today. Word was received from the United States Civil Service Commission in San Francisco on the civil service examinations taken last September. Both passed and are now qualified clerks in the office.

AT SCOUT EXPOSITION

Cub Master and Mrs. Richard Mendonca and Neighborhood Commissioner and Mrs. Philip Sousa will attend the Scouting Exposition in Hayward, which opens today at 2:30 p.m.

RUSHED TO HOSPITAL

Little Karen Dunbar was rushed to an Oakland hospital Tuesday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orion Dunbar. We all wish the baby a speedy recovery.

ST. JUDE INSTITUTE OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Members of St. Jude Institute, Y.L.I., held a dinner meeting at Lou's Village in San Jose last night, in observance of the eighth anniversary of the founding of the Irvington institute.

Mrs. Bertha Rose, president, presided at the dinner, which was informal. Guests included Father Thomas Reardon and Father Charles O'Connor, and Institute Deputy Elmina Martin of Hayward.

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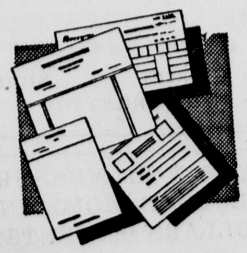

WHETHER it be a small quantity of business cards or a complete line of business stationery . . . The Township Register commercial printing service will do the job well and economically.

TOWNSHIP REGISTER

OSCAR LEVANT IN SAN JOSE

Oscar Levant will make one of his rare and delightful personal appearances in the civic auditorium, San Jose, on next Monday night, February 7. The virtuoso pianist, whose wit and unexpected verbal adroitness bring an unexpected and unconventional angle to his piano recitals, will have no printed program, but announce his numbers from the stage as he plays them. The recital has been titled by Mr. Levant as "Piano Music, with Comments!"

Mr. Levant is one of the most colorful personalities on the concert stage or on the screen. His latest picture, "The Barcleys of Broadway," with Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, is just being released. The closest personal friend of George Gershwin, Oscar Levant usually plays something written by the late American composer.

Tickets for Oscar Levant in San Jose next Monday night are on sale at the Denny-Watrous box office, San Jose auditorium.

The Aurora Australis is seen in the Southern Hemisphere.

F.F.A. MEMBERS TO ENTER STOCK SHOW

By Arnold Silva

Centerville Future Farmers of America will be among more than 800 boys from 106 chapters in California high schools who will enter nearly 3,000 animals in the huge Grand National junior livestock show at San Francisco Cow Palace April 8-14.

From our chapter we are expected to enter the following: Vernon Devalle is exhibiting seven head of steers, one dairy heifer and two stock horses. Vince Wallace is exhibiting two sheep, Marcus Galvan one steer and one stock horse, Salvador Galvan one stock horse, and Arnold Silva one dairy bull.

Robert Lofton will exhibit one Barrow (that is a pig), Norman Goossen is entering one horse, Frank and Marian Hermoso are to enter sheep, and Albert Fries is showing one stock horse.

This is what we expect to exhibit but later on there may be a few changes.

Special trophy awards will be made for the best kept stalls in areas cattle, sheep and hogs on chapter and county basis. Special trophy will also be awarded for the best kept sleeping quarters.

Standard Oil Company, Bank of America, Safeway Stores and South San Francisco and Stockton Stockyards are giving special scholarship awards.

Use Register Want Ads!

OVERCROWDED?

Students are about to bulge out windows and doors at the Decoto Elementary School, according to Margaret Diosdado, reporter. There is a record breaking total of 627 pupils attending the crowded school.

San Bernardino County produces about one-fourth of the California citrus crop.

Henry Miller

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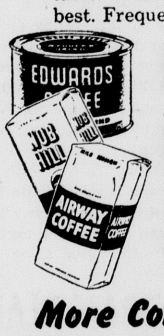
THIS WEEK AT **SAFEWAY:**

COFFEE FAVORITES

Some like it rich and full-bodied. Some like it mild and mellow. Some like it vigorous and hearty. So we offer a wide assortment of coffees to please *every* taste. Whatever kind you choose, you can be sure it will be at its full, fresh best. Frequent deliveries, rapid sales assure it.



EDWARDS Regular or Drip 1-lb. Can 49¢ 2-lb. Can 97¢

NOB HILL Whole Roast 1-lb. Bag 44¢ 2-lb. Bag 87¢

AIRWAY Whole Roast 1-lb. Bag 42¢ 3-lb. Bag 1.25

More Coffee Values

HILLS BROS Red—Reg. or Drip—1-lb. Can 51¢

M. J. B. Reg. or Drip—1-lb. Can 51¢

FOLGERS Reg. or Drip—1-lb. Can 51¢

MAXWELL HOUSE Reg. or Drip—1-lb. Can 51¢

SANKA Regular or Drip—1-lb. Can 59¢

Miscellaneous Needs

Jiffy-Lou Puddings Asstd.—Package 2 for 13c

Kitchen Craft Flour 10-lb. Bag 89c

Sweet Peas Highway—No. 2 Can 2 for 25c

Salad Dressing Duchess—Qt. Glass 59c

Bean Sprouts Jan-U-Wine—No. 2 Can 13c

Chow Mein Noodles Jan-U-Wine—5-oz. 19c

Sunnybank Margarine 1-lb. Carton 34c

Green Beans Briargate Whole—No. 2 Can (Vertical Pack) 29c

Chocolate Squares Suchard Milka or Almond—Cello Package 29¢

Coated Chocolates Candy—M. & M.—7-oz. Cello 25¢

Breakfast Foods—Beverages

Nulaid Eggs Lg. Grade AA—Carton Doz. 67¢

Quaker Oats Quick or Regular 3-lb. Package 35¢

Pancake Flour & Waffle—Suzanna 40-oz. Package 30¢

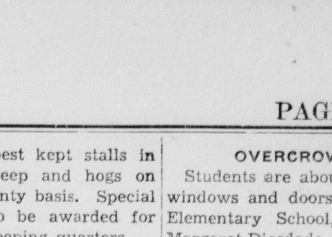
Syrup Vermont Maid—12-oz. Glass 27¢

Sausage Breakfast—Rath's Black Hawk 8-oz. Can 38¢

Swift's Bacon Sliced—Premium Grade—½-lb. Cello 37¢

Tomato Juice Taste Tells No. 2 Can 3 for 25¢

Lucerne Milk Fresh—Homogenized Qt. Carton 19½¢



Nice tree-ripened bananas? You wouldn't like them!

A wonderful, wondrous fruit is the banana! It's at its best only when harvested green and then ripened. This is, of course, fortunate for us who live far from the growing areas. The fruit can be brought to us green and then ripened. But what a difference there is in the flavor and texture of bananas that have been ripened in different ways!

That's why Safeway has special banana-ripening rooms where ideal conditions are maintained to bring the fruit to finest eating quality. Temperature and humidity are rigidly controlled so that ripeness develops uniformly through the fruit. The air is kept just moist enough to build up the rich, natural juices. Ripening is never hurried. It takes time for the starches in the green bananas to be changed to the sugars that give the fruit its wonderful flavor.

Because we control the ripening process so completely, you can always be sure of getting full, rich, ripe bananas at Safeway. And bananas are just one example of the care we take to see that every fresh fruit and vegetable we offer you in our stores is at its peak of goodness.

LOOK AT BREAD PRICES .. then buy Mrs. Wright's

Small Standard loaf

Raisin 18¢ Cracked Wheat 16¢

FEBRUARY BUDGET BALANCERS

Pineapple Juice Libby or Dole No. 2 Can 2 for 29¢ 46-oz. Can 35¢

Dalewood Margarine 1-Lb. Carton 2 for 55¢

King's Gate Tomatoes Fancy—No. 2 Can 2 for 35¢

Cane or Beet Sugar 10-lb. Bag 79¢

Royal Satin Shortening 3-lb. Can 89¢

Crisco Shortening 3-lb. Can 95¢

Valley Gold Apricots Unp. Halves No. 2½ Can 2 for 49¢

Lux Soap Flakes 12½-oz. Package 31¢

Spam Lunch Meat Hormel 12-oz. Can 43¢

Super Suds Soap Granulated—23 oz. pkg. 31¢

Par Granulated Soap 23-oz. Pkg. 27¢ 48-oz. Pkg. 57¢

Oxydol Soap Powder 24-oz. Pkg. 29¢ 65-oz. Pkg. 79¢

Camel Cigarettes & Other Popular Brands—Carton (tax incl.) $1.59

SAFEWAY GUARANTEED MEATS

Standing Rib Roast Flavorsome and Tender, Free of excess waste—Lb. 68¢

Pork Loin Roast Fresh Lean. Half Loin, Blade, or Large Loin Cuts—Lb. 53¢

Fancy Smoked Hams Tendered. Whole or Either Half Cuts—Lb. 59¢

Lamb Shoulders Full Cut Tender Roasts. Shank and Neck Removed—Lb. 57¢

Sirloin Steaks Choice First Cuts of Tender Fine Quality Beef—Lb. 72¢

Lean Pork Shoulders Corned Picnic Cuts for Baking. Small, Short Shank—Lb. 37¢

FRESH GROUND BEEF in Visking Dependable Pure Lean Beef. Sanitary Pack—lb. 53¢

FANCY POULTRY

In disjointed parts—Ready to Cook

Fricassee Chicken Lb. 78¢

Fryer Chickens Lb. 79¢

FISH FEATURES—First Quality, Selected Cuts

HALIBUT STEAKS Uniform slices to Fry or Broil—Lb. 52¢

Fillet of Sole Fancy Northern—Lb. 47¢

Ocean Perch Fillets, Very Tasty—Lb. 35¢

GARDEN-FRESH PRODUCE

Oranges Fancy Navel—5-lb. Mesh Bags—each Small size 45¢ Medium size 55¢

Grapefruit California Medium Size 5 Lb. Mesh Bag—Each 39¢

SOLID CABBAGE Fancy Heads—Lb. 5¢

BANANA SQUASH An economical dish—Lb. 4¢

CHOICE TEXAS YAMS U. S. No. 1 2 Lbs. 29¢

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CANYON HEIGHTS

By MARGARET COLE

MAJOR HEY-KID

Last Sunday the H. W. Soare family of Stenhammer Drive held "open house" to welcome home daughter Sally Ann, who has been in Hollywood. Sharing in the excitement of Sally Ann's homecoming is Major Hey-Kid, a saddle horse, a surprise present. Delighting not only Sally Ann but the entire younger set of the neighborhood, Major Hey-Kid threatened to become a menace to the privacy of the Soare home until they "scum a scheme" whereby the pleas of "Kin I ride your horse?" will be held down to a reasonable minimum. During the week Major will be used exclusively by the family but on Saturdays you kids may have a ride, price two carrots. It's a most generous gesture, Sally Ann, and much appreciated by all of us.

HIS FIFTEENTH

This week's news seems to be coming from Stenhammer Drive. The J. W. Jibson house on that delightful street was the scene last week of a party in celebration of John's fifteenth birthday. Present were John's sister, Barbara, and her husband, Mervin Santos of Mission San Jocse, and J. R. Jibson and family, also of Stenhammer Drive.

OFF TO NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Knoles of You-know what Drive will leave this Friday on a motor trip to New Mexico to visit their son, Paul, who is in school there. Accompanying them will be Paul's wife, who lives in Berkeley.

FROM PLEASANTON

Over the week-end the Bill Jibsons had as guests Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Andrade of Pleasanton.

FROM PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. Laura Smith of Johnstown, Pa., is staying for two or three months at the home of her brother, William Ryan, of St— Dr—. She came by airplane in time to help Mr. and Mrs. Ryan celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary on January 29.

GOOD LUCK, STAN

Under any other circumstances Stanley Borba would have been unhappy about leaving Bellarmine but for two weeks he has been counting the days until the end of the term. Reasonable enough, since it enabled him to leave for Modesto to help his father operate their new dairy farm. Stan's many friends are sorry to see him go but wish him luck at Modesto High. Congratulations are in order, too, for at the Boy Scout Court of Honor last week, Stan received his Star Award, a high honor and second only to Eagle Scout Rank which, no doubt, he will achieve soon.

HOUSE GUESTS

The J. C. Caziers of Canyon Heights Drive have as house guests two young relatives, Junior Llewellyn and Bill Halliday, both from Utah. Bill, Mrs. Cazier's brother, is in naval training at Treasure Island, while Junior, a relative of "Dutch," is looking over the territory with the idea of settling down in these parts.

NEWARK P.T.A. PLANS TWO EVENTS

Kindergarten mothers of the Newark Elementary School were the special guests yesterday at the Founders Day tea given by the Newark P.T.A. Mrs. Kay Kettman was in charge of arrangements, and Mrs. William Dutra, president, presided over the meeting.

The group discussed plans for a forthcoming rummage sale, and also set a tentative date for a food sale, to be held some time this spring.

It was announced also that the P.T.A. would take an active and financial part in assisting with the carnival which will be given again this year by the Newark Youth Center Association for the benefit of the Center.

Thinking Things Over...

By VIVIAN BATM. N

In scanning the Decoto Elementary school paper, "The Decoto Bee"—a very, very nice litte paper, by the way—I came across a little poem that, in my opinion, has real poetic value—something you rarely find in verses written by children.

The young author is Mary Castro, of the sixth grade. Her poem is entitled:

OUR WINTER DAY
I like the gray
January Day.
Bare, dead boughs
that coldly sway
I like the wind . . .
I like to sit
And laugh at it.
And tend my cozy
Fire a bit.

OLD FRIENDS MEET AFTER 50 YEARS

More than 50 years ago, R. J. Wright, the Irvington realtor, and his pal Henry Rahlves attended grammar school in San Francisco and during their free time meandered around famed Cliff House and Golden Gate Park piling up adventures and memories.

Last week, after 50-odd years, Wright and Rahlves, guests at Rotary Club luncheon held at the International Kitchen, met again to recount and relive past experiences.

Rahlves, an executive with the Standard Oil Company in Canada, is on an extended trip to Los Angeles, and on his return to the northern country the two friends will meet in San Francisco for an evening of dining and retelling boyhood happenings.

NILES CUB PACK TO RE-ORGANIZE

Reorganization plans for the Niles Cub Pack will be discussed by committee members tonight at a meeting to be held at the Scout hut at 7 o'clock. Chairman Frank Lewis, Cubmaster Joe Enos, District Representative Ruel Brown and Committeemen Leland Goularte, Louis Mayer and Ralph Allan will meet to discuss reactivation of the group and to schedule events for the future.

Den mothers, the Mmes. Ernest Perry, Beth Andrus, Clifford White, Ralph Downing and Joseph Rose will also attend the meeting.

Utah produced 413,000 ounces of gold in 1947.

REBEKAH NEWS

About 150 Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and invited guests gathered at the Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington, last Friday evening to witness the installation of officers of Niles Rebekah Lodge No. 336. The ceremony was under the direction of Anna Bradford, district deputy president of District No. 53, with Ivy W. Cull as installing officer, and Olive Pugmire as deputy marshal, assisted by the installation staff.

Among the invited guests present were Anna Catlett, past president of the Rebekah Assembly; Ivan Brockett, district deputy grand master of District 81; and Ruth Bettinger, past president of the Theta Rho Assembly.

The lodge hall and banquet hall were beautifully decorated, and delicious refreshments were served by the committee serving under Jennie Mohn, chairman.

Mildred Barber was seated as past noble grand, and the other officers installed were: Florence Dewey, noble grand; Irene Bales, vice-grand; Rose Stearns, recording secretary; Fern Mitte, financial secretary; Edna Hescher, warden; Elizabeth Mendenhall, conductor; Catherine Parry, right supporter to noble grand; Anna Bradford, left supporter to noble grand; Ann Arington, left supporter to vice-grand; Ellen Mohn, inside guardian; Helen Barker, outside guardian; Maggie Neill, chaplain; Irene Kibby, musician.

Jennie Mohn was appointed color bearer, and was seated by Deputy Marshall Olive Pugmire. Other appointments were: Irene Bales, drill mistress; Iva Marble, Lillian Short, Violet Mohn, Elsa Mikkelsen, Patricia Pierce and Minnie Woodward, altar bearers.

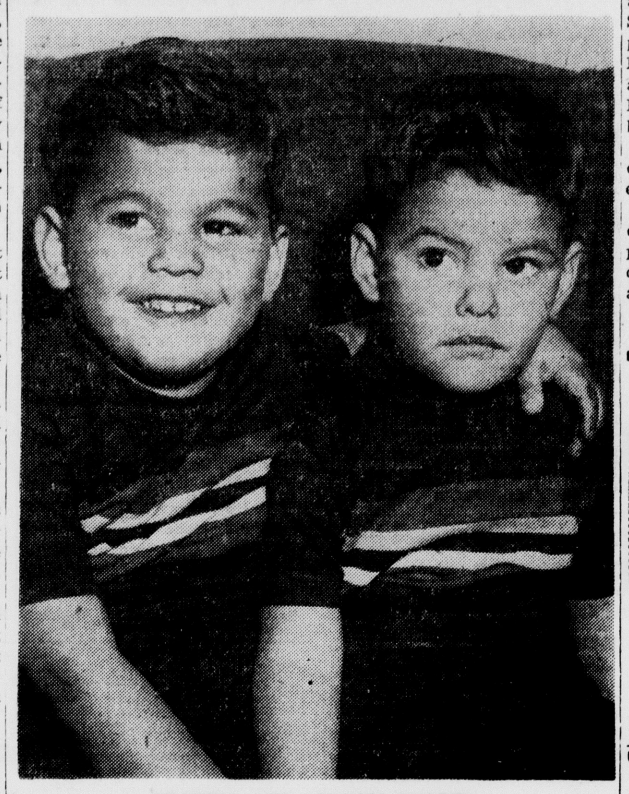
Other committee appointments will be made by the noble grand at the regular meeting scheduled for this evening (Friday) at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington. The social hour for this evening will be in charge of Florence Dewey and Mildred Barber.

Ethel Garner of Hayward Rebekah Lodge, and Ivy Cull, member of the Board of Control of Theta Rho Girls' Clubs, attended the district meeting and special session of the Rebekah Assembly at Fresno, last Saturday. Mrs. Cull also attended the meeting of the Board of Control at Fresno last Sunday.

The officers and members of Necona Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 46 will meet in regular session next Monday evening at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington, according to Jennie Mohn, adviser of the club.

The U. S. nautical mile is 6,080.27 feet in length.

THE YOUNGER SET



FRANKIE AND JOHHNY DUARTE
—Photo by Stinhilver

"If you want your house to have that 'lived in' look, just have a set of twins." So says Mrs. Frank Duarte, mother of the two bright-eyed youngsters above.

The twins, happy and busy as can be all day long, have just reached the age when the world is their oyster. They are bent on knowing the why and the wherefor of everything and are not shy about taking any method at hand to find out what makes things tick.

As a matter of fact, when the photographer came to their home at 890 Second Street, Niles, he had to wait for quite a while before he could get into the house. The twins had taken off the lock and the door handle! Just give them a screwdriver— Well, if you do, you're in for a peck of trouble.

The one on the left with the big grin is Johnny. Frankie, the other one, seems to be a little more on the sober side. He is likely dreaming of some more door handles to remove.

They were born on April 7, 1945, have an older sister, Joy, 13, who occasionally despairs of them, and their father, Frank Duarte, operates the Supermarket in Niles. The twins, however, are not often allowed in the market as they are just too, too fond of cookies, candy, bananas, etc.

Frankie and Johnny have one grandparent, Mrs. Teresa Fontes of Niles.

PROGRAM PLANNED BY DECOTO P.T.A.

Mrs. Jeanette. Schaaf, Decoto, school teacher, will act as general chairman for the annual P.T.A. Founders' Day celebration to be held at the elementary school next Wednesday, February 9, at 3 p.m.

There will be a pageant presented by club members with a candle lighting ceremony as part of the skit. Participants will include Mrs. Elmer Peixotto, Mrs. L. J Fine, Mrs. Norman Luna, Mrs. J. P. Caldeira, Mrs. Elvie Cardozza, Mrs. Constance Amaral and Mrs. Gladys Fairbanks. Music is under the direction of Mrs. J. V. Goold.

Mrs. W. P. Peterson of San Leandro will be guest speaker at the event. A large birthday cake will be cut following the entertainment, and mothers of the third grade pupils of Mrs. Schaaf will aid in serving the refreshments.

A regular meeting will follow the program, Mrs. Elvie Cardozza, president, declared. A cordial welcome is extended

TOWNSHIP PUPILS RECEIVE AWARDS

At an assembly held January 28 at the Centerville Elementary School auditorium, awards were presented to Margaret Nunes and Duane Scott, eighth grade students and winners in the 22nd annual Latham Foundation essay contest, by Principal Tom Maloney.

Margaret and Duane each received $10 for their prize winning essays from the Foundation.

Students in grades six through eight, and all junior high school pupils throughout the United States competed in the annual contest, according to Maloney.

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(From the 1929 Files of The Township Register)

Elizabeth Shinn, Marie White, Eugene Dusterberry, Gertrude Ellsworth, Edward Witherly and Clarence Lucas played leading roles in the Booth Tarkington play, "Penrod," presented February 15 in the Washington Union High School auditorium. The play was directed by Miss Laura Taylor.

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...Around the Township...

Housewarming for Newark Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Gorman Jr.—better known as "Bud" and Lorraine—were surprised last Sunday afternoon by a group of their friends who came into their new home on Magnolia Street in Newark, with all the accoutrements for a housewarming.

After a buffet supper, prepared and served by the guests, the young couple was presented a handsome mesh fireplace screen. A fire was started in the fireplace so the screen could be put into immediate use, thus making the party a true house "warming."

Mrs. Gorman has been doing substitute teaching in several of the township schools, while Mr. Gorman commutes to San Jose every day, where he is employed by the P. G. & E.

Week-End Guest At Newark Home

A week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Berg of Newark was a former Cal classmate of Mr. Berg's, Bill Kling. The two attended the Sunday morning breakfast at the International Kitchen of the California Alumni Association.

Lynn Curtis Visits

Mr. Lynn Curtis from Grand Junction, Colorado, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kitchings, 152 Pine Street, Centerville. Curtis is the brother of Mrs. Kitchings, and plans to stay in this area for an indefinite period.

Yvonne Young Becomes a Bride

Surprising her many friends in the township, Yvonne Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Young of Niles, eloped last Friday with Eugene Schaal of Albany. The two exchanged vows at the Congregational Church in Placerville, and then spent a honeymoon week-end taking in the winter sports at Calaveras County.

A graduate of Washington High, the bride also attended San Jose State for a year. Since that time she has been employed in the offices of General Motors in Oakland.

Her husband, who attended the Albany schools, is presently a student at San Francisco City College, where he has one more year of study. He is majoring in hotel management.

Former Wave Visits in Niles

Miss Jane Cobb, Berkeley, was a week-end guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Shinn of Niles-Centerville Road. Miss Cobb recently returned from Japan where she was employed in the United States Civilian Occupational Service for the past two years. She was a member of the WAVE during World War II.

Birthday Party

Bobbie Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Joseph, 405 Railroad Avenue, Decoto, blew out nine candles on his birthday cake at a party held in the home of his parents last Sunday.

Newark Couple Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Vince Kaehler of Newark celebrated their fourth wedding anniversary last Saturday night at the Officers' Club in Alameda. Those who helped make the occasion a festive one were the Vernon Browns, the Lester Manns, and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Nordvik.

Heavenly Bundle

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cornett of Niles are the proud parents of a daughter, Donna Jo, who was born at the Hayward Hospital on January 26. The little lass, who weighed 8 pounds and 14 ounces, has an older sister, Dixie Ann, who is almost two.

Birthday Fete

Mrs. Lena Roderick of Irvington was honored by a birthday party last Saturday night, staged at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Beardsley.

Guests present at the fete included Irene Roderick, Evelyn Joseph and sons Bobbie and Jackie, Mrs. Hannah Knudsen, Mrs. L. S. Millard, Mrs. Kate Brewer, and Mrs. R. J. Wright.

Birthday Luncheon

In honor of the birthday of her niece, Mrs. Richard Davis of Niles, Mrs. Kitty Bernal of Irvington was hostess at a luncheon last Wednesday. Those invited included, besides the guest of honor, Mmes. Tom Elliott, Howard Overacker, and E. H. Frick.

Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frick and family of Niles spent last Sunday as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd O'Leary in Oakland.

Irvington Woman to Fly to Mexico

Mrs. Hugh Henry of Irvington is one of the lucky ones who will soon be away from the cold weather of northern California and basking in the sun of Old Mexico. She will leave by plane this Saturday for Mexico City, to spend a month with her son, Howard Henry, who has recently been appointed to a post with the U.S. government down there.

Mrs. Henry is expecting to see all the sights of Mexico and will likely have some interesting experiences to relate when she returns.

Daughter Born to Jack Rathbones

Mrs. Leon Solon of Niles has returned home from Santa Barbara, accompanied by a young visitor, her grandson, who now has a baby sister.

The little girl was born to Dr. and Mrs. Jack Rathbone (Leona Solon) in Santa Barbara on Jan. 27, and weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces. She has been named Mary Katherine.

Mrs. Solon expects her grandson, now two and a half years old, to be here about a month.

Newark Woman Sends Packages to Italy

Mrs. A. Guido of Newark is among those in the township who have spent much of their spare time lately in collecting and packing shipments of clothing for relatives in Italy. Not too well herself, Mrs. Guido nevertheless feels that the need is so urgent in Italy that any effort she makes is well repaid in gratitude. The packages she has been sending go to the families of her husband's two brothers and two sisters.

Shower Honors Mrs. Lorraine Andrade

BY IRENE MENDONCA

A baby shower for Mrs. Lorrayne Andrade was held at the home of Mrs. Larry Silva on Sunday afternoon.

A buffet luncheon of baked ham was served. Against the background of crepe paper white and blue valances was the buffet table. The centerpiece, a large baby shoe, was filled with shirts, gowns and other baby things. Favors were on the table for each guest. A large clothes basket, decorated to resemble a bassinette, held the gifts.

The guests were Mrs. Anita DeValle, Mrs. Isabel Vargas, Mrs. Evelyn Rose, Mrs. Mary Maciel, Mrs. Ann Maciel, Mrs. Agnes Gomes, Mrs. Lillian Longberg, Mrs. Fern Knack, Mrs. Yolanda Weaver, Mrs. Amie Sunseri, Mrs. Myrtle Ramer, Mrs. Florence Rodrigues. Mrs. Mary Machado, Mrs. Adeline Vargas, Mrs. Ida Perry, Mrs. Rose Harvey, Mrs. Ann Siva, Mrs. Bernie Faria, Mrs. Dorothy Vargas, Mrs. Gussie Borba, Mrs. Elsie Duarte, Mrs. Florence Duluci, Miss Emma Vargas, Miss Maxine Duarte, Mrs. Rose Bettencourt, Mrs. Rose Drybread.

Guests who sent their gifts but were not present were: Mrs. Mamie Bettencourt, Mrs. Rosalind Smith, Mrs. Minnie Souza, Mrs. Rose Brown, Mrs. Marie Rose, Mrs. Evelyn Maciel, Mrs. Mary D. Souza, Mrs. Mary Andrade and Mrs. Mary Ann Sliva.

Also celebrated was the birthday of the father-to-be on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Silva. Mr. Andrade's immediate family were present. A birthday cake was cut and enjoyed by everyone.

Newark Family is Now a Quartet

The Frank Gygax family of Newark is now a quartet, with the birth of a baby daughter last Friday at the San Jose Hospital. The young lady, who weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces, has been named Lynn Renee. Like her daddy, who is an orchestra leader, and her older brother who, although only a year and a half old, shows a definite "ear for music," she will likely evince an interest in things musical.

Eastern Visitor

Martin Slezack, Monaca, Pennsylvania, is enjoying a three-week visit at the Warm Springs home of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Weigle. He is also renewing old acquaintances with Mr. Paul Wagner, formerly of Pennsylvania.

Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. Ralph Chapman of Newark was hostess at a luncheon at her home last Friday afternoon for several of her friends from Oakland, including her sister, Mrs. Tony Rodrigues, and Mmes. Lawton Wolfington, Manuel Avilla, William Lewis and Harvey Parrish.

In Placerville

Those who follow Lois Bottenberg's popular Mission San Jose column in The Register, will miss it this week. Reason: she is in Placerville taking care of her grandchildren.

Cyrus Solon is Home from Hospital

It's good news to all his friends in the township that Cyrus Solon of Mission San Jose is at last home from the hospital. He had been in a San Jose hospital since a week before Christmas. Recuperating at home now, he is able to visit a few of his friends.

Another Boy

It's another boy for the Belshaws! So now Bruce and Van, the other two boys of the family, have another brother to play with.

The baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belshaw of Centerville last Tuesday at the San Jose Hospital. Little Glenn Robert weighed 8 pounds and 7 ounces at birth.

Ruth Now Nine

Wednesday afternoon, Ruth Lucero was given a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lucero, 411 Railroad Avenue, Decoto. Ruth counted nine candles on her birthday cake this year.

PARTY HELD FOR MRS. DELLA KING

A crowd of well-wishers met at the Mission Elementary School last Friday at a party given in honor of Mrs. Della A. King, who retired from teaching Monday. Over 140 guests were on hand to say goodbye to the teacher who has been with the school for the past 24 years.

Pupils, colleagues, friends and school officials attended the party sponsored by the newly activated Mothers Club of the school. Following a speech of gratitude by Mrs. King, James L. Bunker, administrative assistant in the Alameda County school system, and J. Vasconcellos, principal of the Rodeo Elementary School and a former teacher at Mission school, presented short speeches.

Marveen Lofton, spokesman for the students, recited a poem composed by her mother, Mrs. M. F. Lofton, and presented a gift to Mrs. King.

Cake, coffee and punch were served to the large gathering by members of the Mothers Club. Mrs. Marie Baptist is president of the group; Mrs. Winnie Fernandez, vice-president; Mrs. Mary Rodriguez, treasurer; and Mrs. Fern Overacker, secretary.

Nathan Click is principal of Mission Elementary School.

CONVALESCING

Mrs. Gladys Williamson of Niles is in Alameda Hospital recuperating from a major operation. She is not expected to return home this week.

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WASHINGTON C.S.F. SEES FAMED SHOW

A matinee of "Allegro," the famed stage play now appearing in San Francisco, was attended by members of the California Scholarship Federation of Washington High School last Wednesday. About 30 members of the organization, under the chairmanship of President Elaine Joseph, witnessed the performance of the popular broadway hit.

Mrs. Emma Doane, advisor for the group, also attended the program.

The C.S.F. is making tentative plans to visit the University of California at Berkeley this spring as guests of the university scholarship societies, Miss Joseph said.

Other officers are Tomi Katsumoto, vice-president; Lorraine Brown, secretary; and Jimmy Moora, treasurer.

MEETING HELD

Past Presidents' Club of St. Jude Institute, Y.L.I., met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Mae Avilla in Irvington for a regular monthly meeting session.

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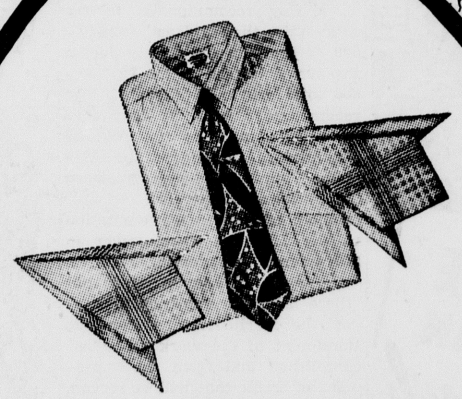

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HIGH CHATTER

By MARGARET COLE

To those of us who have trouble enough writing presentably with one hand, the performance of "Turner the Penman" at last Friday's assembly seemed in the nature of a minor miracle. Mr. Turner has chosen a most unusual career and is definitely outstanding in his line. Imagine being able to write several different sentences simultaneously with chalk held in both hands and teeth and sing while you're doing it. Those little gadgets he had for his fingers would, as he suggested, be good for dittoing "I will not talk."

We noticed Coach Taylor "having words" with Merle Runolphson during the performance. Evidently that rugged individualist (Merle, that is) preferred his own brand of entertainment, or maybe he has some of Mr. Turner's ability to concentrate on several different things at the same time.

Did you notice the Arts and Crafts display in the front hall showcase? The second period Art Class did the work but Alma claims she slaved for an hour arranging it. Even so it looks pretty good.

W.U.H.S. is surely climbing to the top! Furthermore, it looks as though it means to stay there! We won the '48 baseball and football pennants for the first place and the basketball team is well on the way to doing the same thing in '49. Having played three games and won all of them places the Huskies on top in the S.C.V.A.L. Bill Pereira did a wonderful job as highest scorer for the Varsity last Friday. Right in the spirit of things the Puppies won their game too. Of course, after Duffie's amazing demonstration of unsuspected talent in leading the Cannonball," they could do no less. Raphael Andrade and Rueben Rodriguez, pinch-hitting for the regular cheer leaders, did a fine job! much better than Gilroy. (Well, why shouldn't we do a little bragging, just among ourselves, of course?)

They do say that Miss Soto's fourth period class contains quite a bunch of "characters." In support of this statement they offer as evidence this example of the sort of thing which Miss Soto has to contend. Seems that Alfred Bernard concluded an oral book report with the interesting information, " . . . and when he woke up the next morning he was dead!"

It's loads of fun! It's the talk of the town!! It's the latest rage!!! You know what I mean: Folk dancing and the way it's being taken up by several groups of teenagers. It's really making a hit in high school. Miss Mozzetti was very pleased with the large number who attended last Friday's session.

If it weren't for Alma C., we'd never find out what happens in chemistry. This time it's a sad story and it never would have happened if Alma hadn't struck her neck out, or rather her nose, when Mr. Loze kindly invited someone, anyone, to smell a certain witches' brew he had concocted. One deep inhalation and—Wow! She keeled over, eyes streaming, face red, and rapidly approaching the suffocation point. These days she regards Mr. Loze with a certain distrust.

Ray Bettencourt, C.Y.C. president, reminds you of the dance on Saturday and Mel Lewis announces that the Glee Club will have a "sock" dance on Friday week.

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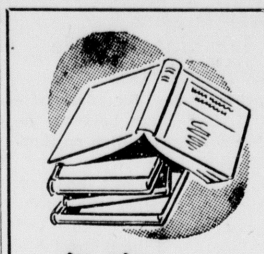

At the LIBRARY

By ELAINE HOWE

On Saturday, February 5, at 11 a.m., and each Saturday thereafter, a Children's Story Hour will be held in the Niles Library. This is not entirely an innovation to Niles, as some twenty years ago Mrs. Roland Bendel packed them in, and held eager-eyed youngsters enthralled with her stories. This story-teller does not aspire to the dramatic skill of her predecessor. However, did you ever know a child who didn't love to listen to stories? I never did, so I hope all the children who come will enjoy with me the stories—some old, some new, and some delightful nonsense.

Therefore, I cordially invite all the children of Niles to join me on Saturday mornings while we journey to the land of make-believe and "Once upon a time—." This is for you only—no grownups invited.

Occasionally in this day of floods of mediocre novels comes a story of real strength which is human and gripping. "The Big Fisherman" by L. C. Douglas is the big, rough, blasphemous Simon. His meeting with the gentle Jesus forms the story, entwined as it is with that of Fara, daughter of the cruel Antipas and an Arab princess. To the many who got real inspiration and enjoyment from "The Robe," I recommend this book unreservedly.

Theater lovers enjoy getting behind the scenes. In "Family Circle," Cornelia Otis Skinner writes with delightful humor and affection of her family and her own youth. It is a nostalgic reflection of the colorful years of the theater when John Drew and Otis Skinner were matinee idols and heroes.

JASON IS OFFICER IN ASSOCIATION POST

Joe Jason, well casing manufacturer of Centerville, was elected vice-president of the Well Casing Manufacturers Association of California at a meeting last week in San Francisco. He will also serve as a director in the trade association.

BUILDING PERMITS SOAR OVER MILLION

Building permits calling for more than a million dollars worth of construction in Alameda County were issued during the month of January, according to Marcus S. Carlson, county building official.

Permits calling for construction of 152 single family dwellings, 10 duplex dwellings, and two three-unit dwellings were included in the total. All permits were issued by the County Building Inspection Department.

Breakdown of permits follows: 152 single family dwellings, $1,016,050; 10 duplex dwellings, $69,900; 2 3-unit dwellings, $10,900; 57 dwelling alterations, $77,950; 22 private garages, $17,400; 8 new commercial buildings, $63,750; 9 commercial building alterations, $7,225; 1 industrial building, $25,000; 3 schools, $168,000; 13 miscellaneous, $8,300; and 2 demolitions, $200; total $1,464,675.

DECOTO STUDENTS WIN ESSAY AWARDS

Essays written by Madeline Hernandez and Rita Sanchez, Decoto Elementary School sixth grade pupils of William Graves, were selected by judges of the Latham Foundation essay contest as winning entries in the annual contest. The Latham Square Foundation Humane Eduaction, Alameda County, sponsors the poster and essay contest annually fostering kindness to animals, old people and general citizenship.

Madeline, who selected as her topic, "Physical Education Builds Character," and Rita, who wrote on "The Study of History," were advised by Mrs. Jeanette Schaaf, fifth grade teacher at the school. The awards were presented to the girls at an assembly held this week in the school yard, according to Principal L. W. Musick. "We have not been able to use our auditorium for assemblies since we converted it into classrooms," Musick said. "Therefore, whenever there is occasion to hold a meeting we have to call a fire drill to get the students assembled."

Madeline was awarded $10 for her essay while Rita received $7 for her prize winner.

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CONCERT DINNER SLATED TO BE HELD ON FEB. 14

Because of a conflict in dates, the Community Concert opening campaign dinner, scheduled for February 7, will be held instead on February 14, according to an announcement this week from Mrs. Roland Bendel, general chairman.

The dinner, to be held in the Veterans War Memorial Building in Niles, will be prepared by the members of the Legion Auxiliary. Guests at the dinner will be the hundred or more "workers" (those who plan to sell tickets), in addition to the officers of the local Concert Association.

The purpose of the dinner will, of course, be to instruct the workers in their sale of member cards, and to outline the campaign "strategy." Present plans indicate a membership-selling campaign fully as successful as that held last year, when the township launched its first Community Concert membership campaign.

Those who missed out on last year's membership drive because of procrastinating, will be among the first to buy their memberships this year in order to avoid being left out. The drive will positively close on February 19. After that date no memberships will be available.

Membership cards entitle holders to attend all concerts in the bay area, including Hayward, Livermore, San Leandro, etc. This year's members have found they may attend 27 concerts, all for the one $5 membership fee.

Co-chairmen of the campaign are Mrs. LeRoy Broun, Mrs. L. R. Creighton, Mrs. Carmelita Freitas, Mrs. E. D. Bristow, Mrs. Clarence Crane, Miss Nancy McKeown, Mrs. Walter Avilla, Arthur Belshaw and Mrs. Harold Millard.

HIGHWAY BUDGET MAY GO UP HERE

Recognizing Alameda County's critical highway deficiency of $200,000,000, the California Highway Commission today was studying a recommendation that state expenditures for highway construction in Alameda County be doubled for the period ending June 30, 1952.

State Highway Engineer George T. McCoy recommended to the commission that "at least" $42,512,000 be spent in the county during the period instead of the $21,256,000 total originally allocated. The recommendation is in line with the request made by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, the Alameda County Highway Advisory Committee and other civic and government officials in a presentation to the Highway Commission in Sacramento last month.

Engineer McCoy pointed out "there is ample evidence to support the conclusion that from the standpoint of the work to be accomplished and from the standpoint of traffic that will be served, the apportionments to this (Alameda) County must be substantial.

"Because of these facts, it will be my recommendation to the California Highway Commission that sufficient construction funds be allocated to bring the expenditures in Alameda County to at least double minimum during the first five-year period which ends June 30, 1952."

STUDENTS WITNESS PENMANSHIP SHOW

Washington High School students witnessed the performance of a skilled penman held in the school auditorium last Tuesday at 12:45 p.m. Mr. Turner, the penmanship artist, displayed great skill in writing backwards, writing two sentences in unison, and executing handwriting backwards and forward at the same time.

Turner and his penmanship exhibition was sponsored by the National Assemblies organization.

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HUSKIES SHARE S.C.V.A.L. LOOP LEAD

S.C.V.A.L. basketball standings, as league play reaches the mid-point, are as follows:

VARSITY DIVISION

(Results last week-end)

San Jose Tech 47, Los Gatos 29.
Washington 43, Gilroy 23.
Campbell 33, Live Oak 26.
Fremont 40, Mountain View 14.

	W	L	Pct.
San Jose Tech	4	0	1.000
WASHINGTON	3	0	1.000
Fremont	3	1	.750
Campbell	2	1	.667
Mountain View	2	2	.500
Santa Clara	1	2	.333
Gilroy	1	3	.250
Los Gatos	0	3	.000
Live Oak	0	4	.000

LIGHTWEIGHT DIVISION

(Results last week-end)

Los Gatos 41, San Jose Tech 37.
Washington 42, Gilroy 20.
Live Oak 31, Campbell 14.
Fremont 32, Mountain View 31.

	W	L	Pct.
Santa Clara	3	0	1.000
Los Gatos	3	0	1.000
San Jose Tech	3	1	.750
Fremont	3	1	.750
Live Oak	2	2	.500
WASHINGTON	1	2	.333
Mountain View	1	3	.250
Campbell	0	3	.000
Gilroy	0	4	.000

GAMES TONIGHT

Mountain View at Washington.
Gilroy at Santa Clara.
Los Gatos at Live Oak.
Campbell at Fremont.

MEETING CALLED FOR PRINCIPALS

A meeting and dinner for members of the Southern Alameda County Principals' Association will be held at Washington High School February 14 from 4 to 7:30 p.m., according to J. V. Goold, principal.

A discussion on the varied problems confronting principals in the schools will be held in the Visual Education room between four and six p.m., followed by a dinner served in the cafeteria. Assemblyman Francis Dunn Jr., chairman of the Assembly Education Committee, will be the main speaker on the program.

Reservations for the affair can be made by contacting Jack Rees before February 7, Goold said.

California farms comprise an area of 35,054,379 acres.

IRVINGTON BEATS CARPENTER NINE

The Irvington Merchants breezed to a win in their first game in Southern Alameda County Baseball League second half play last Sunday, shellacking an outmanned Hayward Carpenters nine, 17-0, in a game called at the end of the sixth inning.

Manager Frank Mayer's club rattled the boards for 13 hits during the contest, while the Carpenters were sawing wood for but one hit, a triple by Lowell Munn.

Every member of the Merchant team collected at least one hit during the swatfest. Hank Dutra, who filled in as a catcher while Johnny Garcia handled mound chores, smacked out a triple for Irvington, while doubles were accounted for by Ed Rose and Bud Marshall.

Irvington stepped out in front in the first inning, scoring five runs on five hits, then added three counters in both the second and third stanzas, and six markers in the fourth, to snag the win.

Garcia, in going the route for Irvington, struck out three batters and walked none. Pat Flower, Carpenter hurler, struck out one and walked 10.

Sunday the Merchants meet the United Auto Workers, who last week drew a bye, at 2 p.m. on the Irvington lot.

Box scores follow:

CARPENTERS

	AB	R	H
Engelage, lf	2	0	0
Lemon, ss	2	0	0
Munn, 2b	2	0	1
Fox, 3b	2	0	0
Stricker, c	2	0	0
Flanghlog, 1b	2	0	0
Parson, rf	2	0	0
P. Faria, cf	2	0	0
Fowler, p	2	0	0
Totals	18	0	1

IRVINGTON

	AB	R	H
Bud Marshall, cf	2	3	1
Stan Roderick, 1b	3	3	2
Ted Garcia, 2b	2	1	1
Ralph Chapman, ss	2	2	2
Ed Rose, 3b	2	2	2
Harold Faria, lf	2	2	0
Hank Dutra, c	4	2	3
Herb Strub, rf	4	1	2
Johnny Garcia, p	2	1	0
Totals	23	17	13

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NILES MERCHANTS SURPRISED, 10-6

Niles Merchants suffered an unexpected setback in their first encounter in Southern Alameda County Baseball League second half play last Sunday, dropping a 10 to 6 decision to the Hayward Stars.

Niles tallied one run in the first inning to take the lead, but fell behind when Hayward came back to score four markers in the second stanza. From there on out it was a case of Niles unsuccessfully trying to catch the Hayward club.

Niles batsmen banged out 10 hits while Hayward accounted for 14.

Joe Peters was charged for the loss, as the first of three Merchant pitchers employed in the contest. He was relieved by Clarence Stewart and Troy Holderfield in the last two innings of the game.

On the hitting side of the ledger Pete Fracolli smacked out a lone double for the day.

Next Sunday Niles meets the Ashland Merchants at 2 p.m. on the Bret Harte diamond.

Box scores follow:

NILES

	AB	R	H
Jesse Jacinto, 6	3	1	1
Hubert Jacinto, 9	4	0	1
Jack O'Donnell, 7	5	2	2
Melvin Nunes, 5	4	1	2
Joseph Dutra, 4	3	1	1
Rufus Le Bon, 8	3	1	1
Pete Fracolli, 3	4	0	1
C. W. McKenzie, 2	2	0	0
Joe Peters, 1	3	0	0
Stewart (re.) Peters, 8th	1	0	0
Holderfield (re) Stewart	0	0	0
Vervais (re) Jacinto, 7th	0	0	0

HAYWARD STARS

	AB	R	H
J. Liugere, 6	3	1	1
Fernandez, 5	3	0	1
G. Silva, 7	5	0	1
Pixotto, 1	5	1	2
Amaral, 4	5	2	2
B. Silva, 2	5	2	3
Lengre, 9	5	1	1
Sanchez, 3	5	1	0
Hernandez, 8	4	2	3

HOOPSTERS WIN

Alvarado "A" hoopsters defeated Centerville 17-12 last week, as Noon Basketball League play opened at Washington Union High School.

Teams entered in the league, which is being held under direction of Coach Irving Hird, are Alvarado, Centerville, Decoto, Mission, Newark, Niles and Decoto.

ATTEND PROGRAM

Mrs. Irene Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Gus C. Robertson of Irvington attended a Founders' Day program held Monday by the 16th District, C.C.P.T.A., at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley.

SPORTS

Huskies Will Face Eagles In Cage Encounter Tonight

Mountain View's Eagles and Eaglets will come ball-hawking into the township tonight, to take the floor against Washington High School Huskie and Puppie quintets in a S.C.V.A.L. hoop double-header in the Washington gymnasium starting at 7:30.

In the varsity division the Huskies, apparently pennant bound this season, rate the nod over the visitors, who have been tripped twice in four league starts. Coach Clyde Voorhees will start the game with the per usual lineup: Bill Ramsey and Gene Bramwell at forwards; Gil Martinez at center; and Joe Sankene and Bil Pereira at guards—with Frank Vargas and Gil Orozco slated for action before the contest is over.

Last Friday night the Huskies etained their unsullied league hoop record by shellacking an outmanned Gilroy quintet 45-22, to retain league co-leadership with San Jose Tech, unbeaten in four league outings. Since the Tigers drew a bye in league competition this week the Huskies will be out to pull abreast in point of number of league games won.

In downing Gilroy the Huskies proved bucket-conscious at every position, with eight players in on scoring honors. Bill Pereira got hot for 11 markers to lead his teammates, while Ramsey, Martinez and Sankene accounted for eight, seven, and six points, respectively.

Halftime score was Washington 14, Gilroy 10.

PUPPIES SHINE

Coach Don Wolfe's Puppie quintet followed the varsity's example, ringing the basket for 17 field goals to dump Gilroy 42-20.

Armando Morlos led the scoring parade with 14 markers, followed by Al Castillo and Ralph Juhl with 8 and 6 digits respectively.

Wolfe expressed concern over tonight's tussel, fearing the Eaglets may use a tight man-to-man defense similar to that employed by Santa Clara.

He praised his players, stating that the 130's had played "up to snuff" for the first time in league competition.

The Puppies, like the varsity, forged ahead of Gilroy in the last half of the game last Friday, after ending the first half with a 21-11 advantage.

The first California gold sent to the United States Mint was transported around the Horn and brought over $19 an ounce.

SALT BOX DERBY SET BY NEWARK C.C.

The first "Washington Salt Box Derby" will be held at Hidden Valley Dude Ranch near Mission San Jose June 19, sponsored by the Newark Chamber of Commerce.

This is the announcement made this week by Donald Dias and Harry Houston, chairman and vice-chairman of a chamber committee in charge of making plans and arrangements for the affair.

Boys ages 9-15 will be eligible to enter the derby, which may well become an annual event in the township. Rules for the contest are now being formulated, and will be published at a later date. Design and construction of racers will be largely unrestricted, although standard axles and wheels will be required.

Decision to sponsor the derby was made at a recent meeting of the chamber.

Dias and Houston will be assisted by Ed Bimemiller, Vincent Kaehler and Bill Kelly, who were appointed to the committee.

PACKER NINE BOWS TO ASHLAND, 6-2

Lack of batting power in the clutch spelled measure of defeat for the Marlo Packers baseball nine last Sunday, as the Decoto club dropped a 6-2 decision to the Ashland Merchants in a Southern Alameda County Baseball League second half curtain-raiser.

Manager Alfred Ferreira's crew turned in steady pitching and fielding performances, but were unable to put up a sustained offensive to win the nod. Tony and Joe Sanchez and George Riveira smacked out three singles for Marlo's total basehit production, while Ashland stickers accounted for but seven bingles.

Sam Alizzery and Tony Sanchez were responsible for outstanding fielding plays of the day, both making circus catches of long Ashland fly balls in left and center fields.

George Riveira, Marlo hurler, was credited with the loss, although he pitched a steady game, striking out six Ashlanders while walking only two.

Ashland drew blood in the first inning, then added additional markers in the second and third stanzas to take a 3-0 lead. Marlo came back with tallies in the third and fifth innings, but was unable to overtake Ashland.

Marlo draws a league bye next Sunday.

Box scores follow:

MARLO PACKERS

	AB	R	H
S. Alizzery, cf	2	1	0
Tony Sanchez, lf	4	0	1
Joe Sanchez, 3b	4	0	1
L. Kelly, ss	4	1	0
D. Berrios, c	3	0	0
H. Serbantes, 2b	2	0	0
M. Rebeijo, 1b	3	0	0
P. Marcus, rf	1	0	0
G. Riveira, p	4	0	1
Joe Gonsales, 2b	1	0	0
Gene Marcus, rf	0	0	0
P. Martin	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	3

ASHLAND

	AB	R	H
J. Carrios, 2b	5	2	2
L. Carrion, lf	5	0	1
F. Rebeijo, cf	4	1	0
G. Hernandez, 3b	4	0	1
B. McMelloms, cc	4	0	2
L. Maladando, 1b	4	1	1
P. Madrid, rf	3	1	0
F. Esquierdo, c	3	0	1
D. Aribas, p	3	0	0
A. Gonzales, p	1	0	0
P. Rebeijo, rf	0	0	0
Totals	36	6	7

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FIRST TOWNSHIP TRAIL RIDE SLATED BY SOUTH COUNTY HORSEMEN'S CLUB

The first trail ride to be held in Washington Township under the sponsorship of the Southern Alameda County Horsemen's Association has tentatively been set for Sunday, February 13, according to William Davis, association president.

The ride, under direction of Jerry Brown, will follow a route through Morrison Canyon ending near Mission San Jose. Right-of-way permission remains the only problem to staging the event.

The affair will be the first ride to be staged by the group since it was formed early last summer.

A club "chuck wagon" will be stationed near the end of the route to serve hot food to riders participating. Davis will head the cook brigade.

Club directors who programmed the trail ride are Alvin Silva, Bill Alameda and Jerry Brown.

SMITH APPOINTED TO DECOTO POST

Tomorrow, Leonard Smith will take over direction of the Saturday Recreation program at the Decoto Elementary School, according to L. W. Musick, district superintendent and school principal. Smith, a graduate of the Decoto school, is now attending San Jose State College where he is studying merchandising.

He urges all students interested in a Junior League sports program to come out to the school Saturday to participate in organization of the recreation project. Local leagues will be set up and members will be selected for the different squads.

Basketball, volley-ball and paddle tennis games are scheduled at this time with other sports to be played in season.

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BASKETBALL BOX SCORES

WASHINGTON VARSITY

	FG	FT	T
Bill Ramsey	4	0	8
Frank Vargas	2	0	4
Gil Orozco	1	0	2
Gene Bramwell	2	2	6
Gil Martinez	3	1	7
Joe Sankene	3	0	6
Bill Pereira	5	1	11
Maurice Vargas	0	1	1
Totals	20	5	45

GILROY VARSITY

	FG	FT	T
Frank Antuna	1	0	2
Ed Hori	1	0	2
Delaine Luft	3	1	7
Al Wavaroli	1	0	2
Walt Linstedt	1	0	2
Joe Batrez	1	0	2
Golden Scott	1	1	3
Pilar Antuna	1	0	2
Totals	10	2	22

WASHINGTON 130's

	FG	FT	T
Armando Morlos	7	0	14
Ernie Rodriguez	1	0	2
Al Castillo	3	2	8
Henry Morlos	2	1	5
Ralph Juhl	1	4	6
Ken Evans	1	0	2
Henry Ruelas	0	1	1
Harry Miyasaki	2	0	4
Totals	17	8	42

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BASEBALL RESULTS

Two Washington Township entries in the Southern Alameda County Baseball League suffered setbacks in opening games played last Sunday, while a third township team won its opening encounter.

Games next Sunday pit the Niles Merchants against the Ashland Merchants on the Bret Harte diamond in an afternoon tussle, while Irvington Merchants entertain the United Auto Workers at Irvington. Marlo Packers draw a bye.

LAST SUNDAY'S RESULTS

IRVINGTON MERCHANTS 17, Hayward Carpenters 0.

Ashland Merchants 6, MARLO PACKERS 2.

Hayward Stars 10, NILES MERCHANTS 6.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

League standings follow:

Team	W	L
IRVINGTON MERCHANTS	1	0
Hayward Stars	1	0
Ashland Merchants	1	0
United Auto Workers	0	0
NILES MERCHANTS	0	1
MARLO PACKERS	0	1
Hayward Carpenters	0	1

DECOTO NEWSPAPER HITS CLASSROOMS

Students of the Decoto Elementary School have published a third issue of their newspaper, "The Bee," and copies were distributed to classes last Monday, according to School Reporter Margaret Diosdado. Cover page for the January issue was drawn by Rita Sanchez, sixth grade student.

Contributions in the January edition are from pupils in all grades in the school, and for the first time in the history of the paper, advertising has been accepted from the local merchants, according to L. W. Musick, district superintendent and school principal.

"Bee" staff members and class advisors are: eighth grade, Fidella Reyna, editor; Bertha Fernandez, publicity, Miss Rose Marie Dowd; seventh grade, Clarence Souza, Ida Paniagua, Mrs. Waldron; sixth and seventh grades, Terry Halliwell, Mr. William Graves, Mrs. Liston; fifth grade, Tommy Duran, Samuel Banules, Miss Montesano and Miss Pauline Modesitt.

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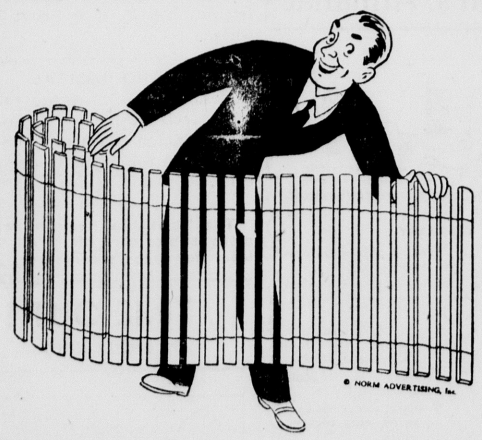

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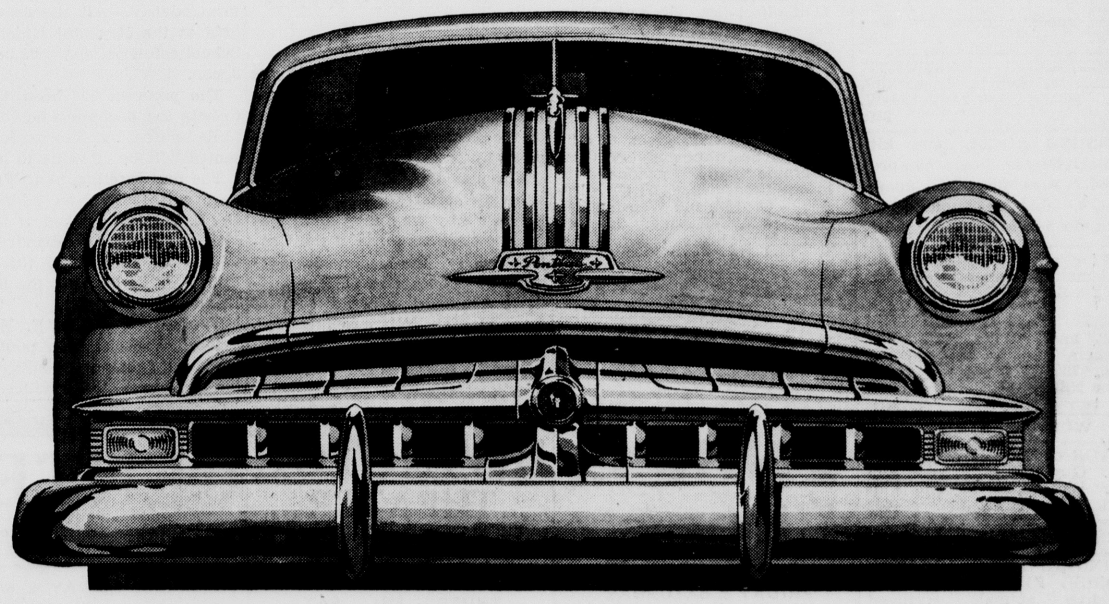

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BIDS FOR CENTER TO BE OPENED

Trustees of the Irvington Elementary School will meet next Tuesday night to open and consider bids for completion of a Community Center building on campus.

Started more than a year ago, the building needs only stuccoing and interior finishing for completion.

It will include a music room for glee club and orchestra use, speech room, rhythmic physical education quarters, showers, boy scout den, ladies lounge, and main meeting room.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their expressions of sympathy at the recent passing of our daughter, Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Keller

THANK YOU

We wish to thank the merchants and people of Centerville for giving us such splendid cooperation on the recent March of Dimes campaign in Centerville.

Through the Mr. Manuel Oliveira Memorial Fund, a contribution made by the Centerville Lions Club, collections made at the Center Theater, the Centerville Elementary School, and various business houses, the grand sum of seven hundred dollars was realized.

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SCOUT WEEK PLANS ARE COMPLETED

Plans for observance of National Boy Scout Week have been completed by Centerville Scout organizations, according to Phil Sousa, neighborhood scout commissioner.

Exhibits will be entered by both Centerville Boy Scout troop and Centerville Cub Pack in the Scout Exposition to be held next Friday and Saturday in the Burbank School auditorium in Hayward. Scouts, under the direction of Scoutmaster Orion Dunbar and Assistant Scoutmaster Robert Walstra, will present a knot tying display, while Cubs led by Cubmaster Richard Mendonca and Assistant Manuel Silveira will exhibit soap carving, jet propelled racers, and picture painting.

Next week Cub Scouts will present a display in the windows of Norb's Sport Shop in Centerville. Cubs once again will show crafts, while Scouts stress "outing" for their display. A complete tent, sleeping bag, fire pit, and other camping utensils will be shown.

Next Tuesday the two unit leaders will be guests of the Centerville Lions Club, sponsoring organization.

Tuesday night the troop will turn hosts, as the Washington Township Court of Honor is held in the Centerville Elementary School auditorium.

Most solemn of all observances of Scout Week will be Scout Sunday, February 6. All Scouts and Cubs will attend their respective churches in uniform. Catholic boys are now completing plans for 8 o'clock mass, which possibly may include Holy Communion.

LADIES GUILD TO GIVE SPRING BAZAAR

Two events are slated for the Ladies Guild of the Niles Congregational Church, according to an announcement made following the regular meeting last Wednesday.

A rummage sale, to be held in the building formerly used as Rees Drug Store, has been set for Feb. 17 and 18, under the chairmanship of Mrs. John Galvin.

And on March 30, the Guild will hold a spring bazaar at the church, under the direction of Mrs. Dora Scudder.

POULTRY SCHOOL SLATED AGAIN

The third annual Alameda County Poultry School will be held February 9, 10, 14, 15, and 16, according to Vernon Miller, assistant farm adviser. All classes will be held at the Hayward Union High School cafeteria, and will begin at 8 p.m.

The program has been outlined to help the beginning poultryman, Miller stated, but information presented will be of value to all.

The first meeting, next Wednesday, will feature an address by Dr. L. W. Taylor, head of the Division of Poultry Husbandry, University of California, titled "So You Want to Go Into the Poultry Business."

Thursday night D. E. Newlon, extension specialist in poultry at U.C., will speak on "Poultry Feeding Principles and Practices."

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NILES RESIDENTS ARE GENEROUS

Mrs. L. Martinelli of Niles, who made a house-to-house canvass in Niles for dimes during the March of Dimes, to repay in part the help she received when her little son was stricken with infantile paralysis, stated this week that the people she has called upon have been overwhelmingly generous.

"Practically nobody turned me down," she said. "I knew people would give, but I had no idea they would be as generous as they are. I have collected a lot of dimes for the polio fund, and I feel very gratified."

She added that those she was unable to contact may forward their dimes to her by mail, care of Box 81, Niles.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TO HOLD DINNER

Warm Springs firemen and their families will gather at the elementary school cafeteria tomorrow evening for their annual dinner, starting at 7 o'clock, according to Mrs. Joseph Wagner who will act as hostess.

The dinner, to be prepared by Mrs. Ida Richards and Mrs. Brennan, will be served at tables decorated with miniature fire extinguishers and small fire trucks. Red, white and blue paper streamers will add color to the event which will be attended by more than 60 persons. Past firemen and their families have also been invited to attend the fete. Dancing will be scheduled for later evening enjoyment and a band has been obtained to provide music.

Following the dinner, a representative from the Capital Fire Extinguisher Company in Sacramento will demonstrated the operation of the resuscitator which the Warm Springs firemen are purchasing with donations from community members. Recent donations for the life saving device are from Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gomes, John F. Souza and the Warm Springs Women's Club.

Fire commissioners are: Joe Brown, president; Orville Leitch, secretary-treasurer; Joe Leal, Fred Brietweiser and John F. Souza. Souza is also the fire chief.

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P.T.A. MEMBERS ATTEND MEETING

More than thirteen township P.T.A. members and delegates attended the 16th district dinner meeting of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers Association held last Monday at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley. The meeting marked the 52nd annual "Founders' Day" celebration.

At 1 p.m., a program directed by Mrs. L. E. Thornton, Founders' Day chairman, was presented. Mrs. G. W. Luhr, president of the California P.T.A. was guest speaker. A skit, "Pages of the Past," staged by Harding School P.T.A., included the traditional candle-lighting ceremony. Mrs. W. M. James, Irvington, and a member of the Phoebe A. Hearst Council, Centerville, participated in the candle lighting services.

Township residents who attended were Mrs. Elvie Cardozza, Mrs. J. P. Caldeira and Mrs. Frank Margarido, all of Decoto; Mrs. Ruel Brown, Mrs. Jennie Mohn and Mr. E. D. Bristow of Niles; Mrs. L. M. Robinson, Mrs. James, Mrs. Irene Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Robertson of Irvington; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Maloney and Mr. J. V. Goold of Centerville; and Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacGregor of Newark.

SPORTSMEN'S CLUB INITIATES THREE

Wiliam McElvain, John Brahmst and Jack Lilla were initiated into the Niles Sportsmen's Club at a meeting held January 26. The group also voted funds to replace manual trap shooting equipment at the club's range with an automatic gun.

Joe Dooley was named to work on improvement of the deer target, large bore target and gun sighting ranges, and a report was presented by Reginald Calhoun on regulation of deer and pheasant seasons.

LITTLE RAINFALL RECORDED HERE

A total of .23 inch rain fell in Washington Township this week, on Wednesday evening. The precipitation brought the year's rainfall total to 5.48 inches, far below normal for this time of year.

Last previous rainfall was recorded January 24.

HIGH SCHOOL P.T.A. HOLDS FOUNDERS' DAY

The annual Founders' Day meeting of the Washington High School P.T.A. will be held at 8 p.m. February 10, in the Visual Education room of the high school, according to an announcement this week.

Al members and friends are invited to attend.

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5—Felix Mendelssohn born, 1809.
6—U. S. takes Kwajalein atoll in Marshalls, 1944.
7—John L. Sullivan won boxing title from Paddy Ryan, 1882.
8—Mary Queen of Scots executed, 1587.
9—Railroad reaches Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1880.
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NEWARK PLANT WINS NATIONAL SAFETY AWARD

In recognition of its outstanding achievement in reducing the frequency of disabling injuries, Westvaco Chemical Corporation in Newark was awarded the National Safety Council Award for the year ending June 30, 1948, according to an announcement from the plant this week.

Winning this award is considered a real achievement, and is a tribute to safety precautions taken by the personnel, especially to John Pauly, safety engineer, and to the safety committees comprised of Lorin Mohn, Joe Machado, John Alonzo and Mike Cimino.

Those in charge of safety at the plant consider that safety and safe working conditions are something in which every employee should take a personal interest, for an injury to one employee affects all employees. Primarily they are interested in the individual, for when an accident occurs, in addition to the pain and suffering to the employee, it means loss of earning power and take-home pay. Thus his whole family is affected.

The company will continue to maintain its high safety standards throughout the year of 1949, and for all successive years, according to the executives.

MILL CREEK ROAD ABANDONMENT OUT

Proposed abandonment of Mill Creek Road to the Santa Clara County line was voted down by the Board of Supervisors this week after hearing recommendations of the County Planning Commission.

On motion of Supervisor Chester E. Stanley, the board concurred in the report of the planning commission which urged that the road be kept passable for purposes of fire protection and also because of its scenic value.

GARDEN SPEAKER

Arthur Navlet, autstanding floriculture authority, was principal speaker last night at a meeting of the Hayward Garden Club, held in the Hayward High School cafeteria.

Navlet showed motion pictures illustrating his subject, "New Methods of Plant Propagation."

BOY SCOUT, CUB LEADERS INVITED

Local Scout and Cub leaders are invited to attend the Livermore-Pleasanton Scout-Cub Exposition called a "Scouts in Action Show," to be staged Tuesday evening, Feb. 8, 7:30 to 10 p.m., in the Veterans Hall, Livermore. This will be the first year that the Livermore Valley has had its own Scout Week Show.

PIANO RECITAL

Mrs. Mabel Gomes presented a piano recital Sunday afternoon in the Irvington Elementary School auditorium for pupils in her piano class.

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